

REMARKS

Claims 6-10 are amended and remain pending.

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the guidance provided in the telephonic interview with Applicant's undersigned representative on September 30, 2008.

Claims 6-10 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, ¶2 as being indefinite. Claims 6-10 are amended herein to clarify the scope of the invention. These amendments are supported throughout the specification – in particular, at pages 5-15.

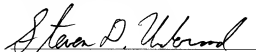
In light of the amendments to claims 6-10, it is respectfully requested that the §112 rejection of the claims be withdrawn.

Moreover, the utility of the claimed invention is further emphasized by adding a limitation directed to price movement projections, the usefulness of which is clear.

The examiner has indicated that the claims have been found to be allowable over prior art. Allowance of the application is respectfully requested.

No fee is believed to be due with this Response, other than the required extension fee. However, should any additional fee be due, please charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

Respectfully submitted,



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